GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABBSTRACT

Public Services – Tahsildars – Chittoor district - Certain irregularities committed by Sri B.Narasimhulu, formerly Tahsildar, Punganur Mandal, in issuance of Pattadar Passbooks - Departmental proceedings under Rule 20 of APCS(CC&A) Rules, 1991- Articles of charges issued- Explanation submitted- Sub-Collector, Madanapalle appointed as Inquiry Officer- Charges held proved - Inquiry report communicated – Retired from service – Imposing the penalty of 20% cut in pension for a period of one year, besides recovery of the amount for the diesel utilized by him against Sri B.Narasimhulu, Tahsildar (Retd) – orders issued.

REVENUE (VIGILANCE.III.2) DEPARTMENT

G.O.RT.No. 1137 Dated: 07-11-2017
Read the following:-

1) From CCLA Lr. No VS.II(1)/1443/2015, dated 26.04.2017.
2) Govt. Memo no REV-18023/18/2017-VIG III – REV dated 26.04.2017.
3) Explanation of Sri B. Narasimhulu, Tahsildar (Retd), dt. 29.08.2017.
4) From Secry. APPCS Lr. No 749/DC&C/1/2017 dated 18.10.2017.

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ORDER:-

In the reference 1st read above, the Chief Commissioner of Land Administration, Andhra Pradesh, Vijayawada has reported that, Sri B. Narasimhulu, while working as Tahsildar, Punganur Mandal,(presently retired from Service), has committed irregularities in issuance of PPBs Sy.No.585/3 to an extent of Acs.4.94 cents and Sy.No.585/4 to an extent of Acs.4.94 cents of DKT Patta lands in the name of Sri K. Venkataramana Reddy as settlement patta lands after taking bribe. The District Collector has framed Article of charges against said Tahsildar and he submitted his explanation denying the charges. The Collector, Chittoor has appointed the Sub-Collector, Madanapalle Division as Inquiry Officer for conduct of regular inquiry into the charges framed against the charged officer. The inquiry Officer / Sub-Collector, Madanapalle Division has submitted his inquiry report wherein he held that the Charges 1 to 3 & 5,6 are not proved and Charges 4, 7 &8 are held proved. The Inquiry report has been communicated to the Charged Officer under rule 21(2) of Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (Classification, Control & Appeal) Rules 1991 for submitting his representation on the findings of Inquiry officer. In reply, the Charged officer has submitted his representation with a request to drop further action against him. The Chief Commissioner of Land Administration has further stated that the Charged Officer retired from service on attaining the age of superannuation on 31.03.2017, and therefore requested the Government to take further action against the Charged Officer as per Rule 9 of Andhra Pradesh Revised Pension Rules 1980.

2) Government after careful consideration of the Inquiry report and the representation of Sri B. Narasimhulu, while working as Tahsildar, Punganur Mandal, presently retired from Service have provisionally decided to impose a penalty of 20% cut in pension for a period of one year, besides recovery of the amount for the diesel utilized by him. Accordingly, show cause notice was issued to the above Charged Officer for submitting his representation on the provisional decision, vide reference 2nd read above.

3) The charged officer in the reference 3rd read above, has submitted his representation to the show cause notice, and requested to the drop the charges framed against him. He did not putforth any new grounds other than those what he has submitted in the written statement of defence and before the inquiring authority for consideration. It is therefore decided to confirm the provisional decision i.e., to impose a penalty of 20% cut in pension for a period of one year, besides recovery of the amount for the diesel utilized by him as the Charged Officer. The Andhra Pradesh Public Service Commission in the reference 4th read above, have agreed with the decision of Government.

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4) Accordingly, the Government under Rule 9 of Andhra Pradesh Revised pension Rules, 1980, hereby order to impose penalty of 20% cut in pension for a period of one year, besides recovery of the amount for the diesel utilized by him against Sri B. Narasimhulu Tahsildar (Retired).

5) The Chief Commissioner of Land Administration, AP, Vijayawada shall take necessary action accordingly.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

MANMOHAN SINGH
SPECIAL CHIEF SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To
Sri B. Narasimhulu Tahsildar Chittoor District now retired,
(through District Collector Chittoor)
The Chief Commissioner of Land Administration, Andhra Pradesh, Vijayawada.
Copy to :
The District Collector Chittoor.
The Secretary, Andhra Pradesh Public Service Commission, Hyderabad.
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